



Docket No. 1384.1038 (JDH)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Bernd SCHÖTTKER, et al.

Serial No.: To be assigned

Group Art Unit: Unassigned

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Examiner: Unassigned

For: METHOD OF GROWING NITROGENOUS SEMICONDUCTOR CRYSTAL  
MATERIALS

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Before examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please AMEND the claims as follows:

Claim 3,

line 1, delete "or 2".

Claim 4,

line 1, change "any of the Claims 1 to 3" to --Claim 1--.

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